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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: A8708

Michael T. ROSSI

Appln. No.: 10/761,389

Group Art Unit: 2874

Confirmation No.: 2413

Examiner: Scott A. KNAUSS

Filed: January 22, 2004

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR IN-LINE BINDER LAYLENGTH  
MEASUREMENT AND ADJUSTMENT

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

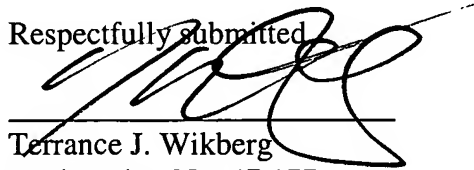
Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement, dated June 3, 2004, Applicant elects Group II, claim(s) 26-30 for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims 1-19.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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